



## News Bulletin

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December 12, 2017

**Dear Subscriber,**

*Please note the earlier version of this bulletin was missing an item in the MTCML section (bottom of page).*

### Latest News

#### Survey on Cannabis Legalization and Regulation

At the AMM Convention, the Minister of Growth, Enterprise and Trade stated the government would survey AMM to ask if municipalities would be participating in the province's strategy to establish retail cannabis stores in communities across the province.

**On December 6, the AMM distributed survey questions to AMM Members on behalf of the Department of Growth, Enterprise and Trade.**

**\*\*\*Responses are requested by noon, December 22, 2017.\*\*\***

AMM members, provide your municipality's response to AMM Senior Policy Analyst Nick Krawetz at [nkrawetz@amm.mb.ca](mailto:nkrawetz@amm.mb.ca).

*If you have any questions or concerns, please contact AMM Director of Advocacy and Communications Denys Volkov at 204-856-2362.*

#### Review on Proposed Changes to Codes Canada publications

The Office of the Fire Commissioner wishes to inform stakeholders and the public that the Canadian Commission on Building and Fire Codes is hosting a public review on proposed changes to the National Model Construction Codes.

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**Thanks to the 832 delegates who attended the AMM 19th Annual Convention in Brandon!**

## Smart Cities Challenge

The Government of Canada recently launched the Smart Cities Challenge to give communities a platform for implementing bold ideas to address priorities that they identify.

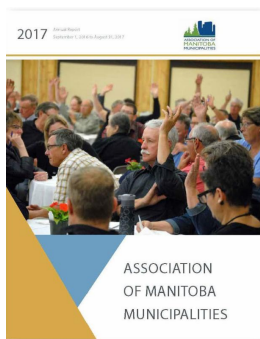
Detailed application guidelines are now available on the new [Impact Canada Challenge Platform](#).

Communities will have until **April 24, 2018** to submit their applications.

[More information on the Smart Cities Challenge](#)

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## AMM Annual Report



The AMM Annual Report for the year ending August 31, 2017 is now online.

The Annual Report can be downloaded from the AMM website at the following link:

[www.amm.mb.ca/download/annual-report/2017AR.pdf](http://www.amm.mb.ca/download/annual-report/2017AR.pdf)

## MTCML

### What's NEW with your Trading Company?

The Trading Company of Manitoba Ltd. has again joined forces with our counterparts in Saskatchewan and Alberta to strengthen our buying power!

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## HR help on its way

The AMM is pleased to partner with [People First HR Services](#) to offer **@ Your Service** to provide dedicated



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**Also thanks to the 691 guests who attended the Gala.**

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**Congratulations to our prize winners:**

Winner of the Icebreaker prize of \$500 was **Reeve Gordon Weidenhamer**, Municipality of Deloraine-Winchester

Winner of the \$2,000 travel voucher sponsored by Western Financial Group Insurance Solutions and the AMM was **CAO Wally Melnyk**, Town of Stonewall

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Presentations from the AMM Annual Convention are now available on the [AMM website](#).

ON CALL access and professional human resource advice to our members.

This **NEW** partnership offers the ability to make faster and more thoughtful people management decisions - all at **no cost** to you.

[Read more about the partnership with People First HR](#)

### Safety Services Manitoba



Safety Services Manitoba is the province's premier occupational and road safety trainer and consultant. You can count on SSM to deliver comprehensive safety training and consulting services.

[Click for more info](#) on how we have supported over 75 different Municipalities in Manitoba. We look forward to the opportunity to work with your Municipality.

### CD Awards

CD Awards has announced it will close effective December 31, 2017.

### Dog Tag Order Form

Do you need dog or cat tags? Download the [Dog Tag Order Form](#) and send completed order forms to Bonnie at Airmaster:

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